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Seek Participants For P D Parade

James Spall, president of Carbondale Pioneer Days, has asked area organizations, companies, industries and individuals to participate in the 4th Annual Carbondale Pioneer Days Parade Aug. 28.

"We're planning a 10 division parade with 200 entries," said Spall, "once again making this one of, if not the biggest, parade in this part of the state. However, we need local participation, such as there is in parades in Scranton, Wilkes-Barre, Honesdale and other communities."

Spall said that they have already received commitments from Tobyhanna Army Depot, Carbondale General Hospital, St. Joseph's Hospital, Gentex Corp., Adams Cable Co., Peach Hill, Wallis Electric, JC Construction Co., Boy Scout Troop 8 and Carbondale Ministerium.

"We'd like to see more than 20 floats this year," said Spall. "We have a lot of industries, dozens of stores and a lot of organizations in the community we'd like to see get involved. This is a community celebration and we need more community involvement. Floats can be made relatively easy and without great cost. They need not be elaborate, but should be representative of the sponsoring organization. Anyone can get involved in something like this. Neighborhood groups, kids, companies, or individuals. We're hoping Carbondale will respond to Carbondale's annual celebration through such involvement.

Those wishing to enter floats or obtain information about floats may contact Carbondale Pioneer Days, P.O. Box 1, Carbondale, Pa. 18407. William Burrell is parade chairman.